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DANIEL LOGANEDITOR
SATURDAYAPRIL 30, 1910

Another instalment of "Uncle Sam's Cook Book," one of The Star's many Saturday features, will be found in this issue. Already, in three weeks, no doubt many of our readers are fatter of person and pocket both from the publication. It may have been noticed that an esteemed contemporary that can find nothing better than recipes for sundry lollipop dishes for its household page, evinces jealousy of Uncle Sam, U. S. & Co., judging by the sneering remarks on the national cookbook it permits a dull contributor to make.

FEDERAL HEALTH JURISDICTION.

It is not improbable that Congress will before long extend the scope of Federal activity in the matter of public health. President Taft in a recent message asked for a special appropriation for the prosecution of scientific study of cancer in fishes, his purpose being to increase our knowledge of the disease in man, so that, if possible, means for checking its spread can be found. In this particular line of cancer investigation there are already official agencies that can greatly assist, the bureau of fisheries especially being in a position to furnish material for the laboratories of the experts it is proposed to employ. A larger scheme was included in the message through the President's reminder of his previous recommendation of the necessity of a bureau of public health to which all such questions as this of cancer research could be referred. While the President advocates merely a bureau, Senator Owen has a bill pending to create a department of health, the chief of which would have a seat in the cabinet. The following remarks of the Philadelphia Public Ledger may be applied to the war against tuberculosis as well as cancer, also to the matter of the protection of our coasts from various pestilences for which the necessity increases as our direct commerce with oriental and equatorial countries grows:

A great deal of good work is already being done by the Bureau of Public Health and Marine Hospital Service, attached to the Treasury Department, but the scope of that bureau could be widened and its responsibilities increased with great benefit to the nation. A vast amount of research is already under way in connection with the cancer scourge, the growing gravity of which is beginning to penetrate the consciousness of the general public, and the co-operation and guidance of the government in the possible unification of effort and the prevention of wasted energy would be an incalculable gain to science. This is what is desired by the President, his specific suggestion at this time being merely incidental to the larger purpose.

WHERE DREAMERS RULE.

Contradicting the statement in dozens of papers that Milwaukee is the first "large" city in America to make the experiment of a Socialist mayor, the New Bedford Standard instances, as cities that will not admit being "small," Brockton and Haverhill for two that "have had Socialist mayors and have survived. More than that," the Standard continues, "these cities have shown no marked disposition to have them again. As in the cases of plutocratic or capitalistic mayors, and in the case of Milwaukee now, there were plenty of promises in advance to give these cities the best administration they ever had." This is one of the commonplaces of incoming municipal administrations, and it proved as much of a commonplace with the Socialists in Brockton and in Haverhill as it has anywhere.

Quoting the old adage that trees are better known by their fruits than by their roots, the Standard abides the close of their administration for a decision on the value of the promises that Mayor Seidel and the Socialist Democrats made. "Municipal administration," it goes on to say, "is a somewhat practical affair, with some very decided limitations and restrictions, growing out of the nature of things, as dreamers are apt to learn when they are brought into contact with the facts." It is stated that Mr. Seidel's official newspaper organ promised the building of a municipal electric lighting plant, for every employee of the city trades union wages and an eight-hour day, "and, so far as practical, an accident insurance and sick benefit and an old age pension;" free textbooks and "penny lunches for the children of the public schools where needed;" a municipal slaughter house, an ice plant and a coal and wood yard; and, a little later, the public ownership of waterways, telephones and street car lines, and still later the public ownership of mines and railways, and so on. "Very good," the Standard comments; "the country waits to see."

Hawaii's recent quarantine troubles, at Hilo and Honokaa, which soon passed but news of which was given here only in enigmatic form—though gossip was active with wild rumors—were promptly cabled in detail and published in papers all over the mainland. It is about time the out-of-date "understanding" that all unpleasant local news should be suppressed here to avoid "hurting the country," should be abolished. It goes abroad anyway, and, besides, the people ought to be apprised of the facts of every present danger. As it is now the public is disturbed, on every such occasion, by the circulation of exaggerated and false rumors. Publication of the plain news would stop that sort of thing.

FOREIGN BAUBLES REJECTED.

A decided stand has been taken by the House committee on foreign relations against the granting of permission to diplomatic and military and naval officers of the United States to accept decorations and gifts from foreign governments. The Constitution forbids the acceptance of such favors "without the consent of the Congress," and previous Congresses have been liberal, in more or less discreet ways, with the consent. When gifts and insignia had accumulated in the coffers of the State Department, an omnibus bill for their distribution would be passed. It is a bill of this kind, sent down from the Senate, which has been blocked in the House as stated. "Viewed from a high ethical ground," an exchange says, "there is an obvious impropriety in the offer of reward by one government to the officials of another for the performance of their official functions, but the custom abroad is so firmly established that such distinctions form the principal rewards of public life, are the spur to zeal in every avenue of the public service." Although the matter has thus come to be one of bargain, the United States government has no orders or distinctions at the disposal of the executive. Hence the acceptance of such favors proves an embarrassment. Whereupon the paper already quoted con a souvenir of the respect and confidence of foreign powers with whom his duty has brought him in contact, the fact that there can be no corresponding return by the authorities at Washington makes the refusal of the Congress to authorize the acceptance not only reasonable,

REV. J. G. DUKES

Writes: My wife has been in a very bad state of health. Nothing seemed to do her any good until she began

TO USE PERUNA.



MRS. J. G. DUKES.

Rev. J. G. Dukes, Pastor of the Unitarian Church of Pinetown, N. C., writes:

"My wife has been in a very bad state of health for several years, and nothing seemed to do her any good until she began to use Peruna one month ago. Since then the color has returned to her face, and she is gaining in flesh every day, and I believe she is a well woman to-day."

"My little boy, ten years old, was pale and had but little life. He began to use Peruna the day his mother began. To-day his face is rosy, and he is out in the yard running and jumping with the rest of the children."

Stomach Trouble Relieved.

Mrs. T. J. Ballard, Pryor Creek, Indian Territory, writes: "I am happy to tell you that I keep free from my old stomach trouble; feel no catarrhal symptoms at all. I am able to do my work, eat and drink what I want, and rejoice that I found a sure cure in your valuable medicines, which I failed to find in the best of home physicians."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Malle Kauwaina, (w).
The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the Estate of said Malle Kauwaina, late of Naelehu, Kau, Hawaii, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons to present their claims even if secured by mortgage upon real estate to the undersigned at Hauula, Koolauloa, Island of Oahu, or to Henry Smith at his office in the Judiciary building, in Honolulu, City and County of Honolulu, within six months or they will be forever barred.

All persons owing to or holding property of the deceased are requested to make immediate settlement with the undersigned or with the said Henry Smith.

Hauula, Koolauloa, Oahu, April 7, 1910.
Admr. Estate Malle Kauwaina, deceased.

J. P. KULUWAIMAKA,

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE First Circuit, Territory of Hawaii. At Chambers—In Probate, No. 4251. In the Matter of the Estate of David Dayton, of Honolulu, City and County of Honolulu, Territory of Hawaii, Deceased-Testate.

A document purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of David Dayton, of Honolulu, deceased, having on the 29th day of April A. D. 1910, been presented to said Probate Court, and a Petition for Probate thereof, praying for the issuance of Letters Testamentary to Lucretia M. Dayton, widow, of said deceased having been filed by said widow.

It is ordered that Monday, the sixth day of June A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the Court Room of said Court in the Judiciary Building in the City and County of Honolulu, be and the same is hereby appointed the time and place for proving said Will and hearing said application.

Dated Honolulu, April 29, 1910.

BY THE COURT:

J. A. THOMPSON,
Clerk.

Fine Job Printing, Star Office.

but the only thing which it could do without a sacrifice of self-respect."

Pittsburg, whose civic rottenness has lately been exposed to the world, may take the government by commission route for reform. Its chamber of commerce is working for that end. In discussing this news, the Philadelphia Public Ledger points out difficulties in the way of having the commission form of city government adopted in Pennsylvania, concluding with the following apt and sensible remarks applicable to cities everywhere:

There is no substitute for an alert and conscientious electorate, no hope of an honest and businesslike administration of public affairs, unless the voters are careful to see that they are committed to honest and capable hands. Great things are claimed for the "commission" form of municipal government, but its trial is too recent and too sporadic to justify any very confident judgment as to its superlative value. Whatever virtues it may possess, and some of them have been demonstrated, they will never be proof against an apathetic and indifferent body of citizens.



OH, YOU CHANTECLER!

Mrs. John—I see where 14 men were arrested for chicken stealing.
Mr. John—Blame it on Paris, blame it on Paris.

NOTICE.

TO CONSUMERS OF GOVERNMENT WATER.

On and after July 1, 1910 water rate for purposes of irrigation will be raised $\frac{1}{2}$ of one cent per square yard of the net area irrigated.

The present rate being $\frac{1}{2}$ cent per square yard to the area irrigated.

MARSTON CAMPBELL,
Superintendent of Public Works.
4th, April 21, 28, May 5, 12.

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Prospect St., 4 B. R. 75.00
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Kamehameha Rd., 4 B. R 25.00
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2 B. R. 30.00
Punchbowl St., 2 B. R. 15.00
Wilder Ave. 3 B. R. 20.00
Anapuni St., 2 B. R. 30.00

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NOTICE.

Herman H. Picke has removed his barber shop from Fort street to up-to-date quarters in the Empire building, next to Empire theater entrance, Bethel street, where he would be pleased to see all his old friends and meet new ones.

SEALED TENDERS.

Sealed tenders will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Public Works until 12 m. of Thursday, May 5, 1910, for remodeling and the construction of additions to the Cottage at Nuuanu Reservoir No. 4.

Plans, specifications and proposal blanks on file in the office of the Superintendent of Public Works.

The Superintendent reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

MARSTON CAMPBELL,

Supt. of Public Works.
Honolulu, Apr. 22, 1910.

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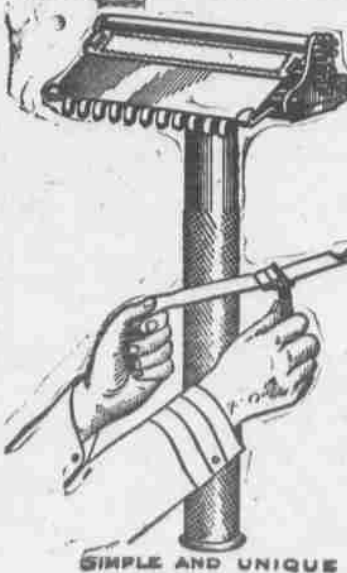
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